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ROY WILL CELEBRATE July 4th.

Chautauqua

The Cadmean Chautauquas, presenting a variety of high-class entertainment will be in Roy July 2-6 this year. Season tickets are now on sale and it is the part of loyalty to your town to buy your admissions to the Chautauqua in this way before the arrival of the first installment of it as after that the men who guaranteed the course will receive only a percentage and the money paid will go to the enterprise leaving home people to hold the sack while the tickets sold in advance will "count for game".

Programs giving a prospectus are thick about town so it is superfluous to refer to them here. For the benefit of those who doubt the wisdom of the venture at this time we quote President Wilson on the subject:

"It has been on my mind for some time to thank you organization for the real help it has given to America in the struggle that is concerned with every fundamental element of national life.

Your speakers have been effective messengers for the delivery and interpretation of democracy meaning and imperative needs. The work that the Chautauqua is doing has not lost importance because of war, but rather has gained new opportunities for service. Let me express the hope that you will let no discouragement weaken your activities and that the people will not fail in the support of a patriotic institution that may be said to be an integral part of the national defense."

Earl Baum and Raymond Towers drove to Pueblo, Colorado last week and spent the week-end visiting friends there returning Sunday evening. Miss Eva Howie came with them and went on to Mosquero Monday on the train to visit her sister Mrs. Jim Galey.

Miss Harvey, stenographer at the Roy Trading Co. Store visited her home in Tucumcari over Sunday returning to her work Monday.

The new buildings in Roy add materially to the appearance of the town from any point you view it. Fred Brown's new house is nearing completion. The Catholic Rectory also is ready for the plasterer and Mr. Abbott's cottage is beginning to look like a home and a tidy little place.

Ralph Hunter of the Roy Cafe left Wednesday for Kansas where he will get work in the harvest fields. He is rather light but active enough to make it up.

President Visits

The Rebekah Lodge was honored by a visit from the President of the Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Isabel Swartz of Gallup Tuesday evening owing to short notice and the illness of some of the members the attendance was small and an informal meeting was held at the hall after which those present adjourned to the ice cream parlor of the Fairview Pharmacy for refreshments. Mrs. Swartz is making her official visit to all the Lodges in the state and is a very clever and popular lady as well as an enthusiastic and competent grand officer. She was entertained at the Kitchell home during her stay here.

Soldier Boys

Clifton Downing, an ordinance man in supply 311th field artillery is the youngest soldier at Camp Meade, he is just 17 and enlisted at Roy, N.M. He has served in three different camps already.

Many boys of his age are being accepted for enlistment in N. M. He was born in Oklahoma, which he calls—"Back East" [This clipping he sent his mother Mrs. Harry Welch.]

Mrs. Judy received a letter from their son, Forest who has enlisted in the navy and was at the detention barracks at Mare Island Navy Yard. He passed the examination and is proud of the fact that he registered as a perfect man. He finds the navy wonderful and would have enlisted long ago if he had known how fine it is. The best place he has ever seen except home he says. Forest had many difficulties getting registered for the draft and is glad to at last be in the service of Uncle Sam.

Frank Lusk returned to his duties on the border Tuesday after a ten days furlough and visit with his parents and sisters here. He is in the Hospital Corps and a fine looking soldier as you would care to see.

At the Catholic Church next Tuesday July 2 Special Services At 8 A.M. Low Mass at 10 A.M. High Mass.

Father Mauricio Jean Joseph will be here for the Feast and will remain several days with Father Felix Vachon O. M. I. All are urged to attend these services.

E. F. Ivey left Wednesday for Eureka Springs, Missouri where he will remain for some time in an effort to recover his health. He has unbounded faith in the curative properties of these waters.

J. M. Woodward reports a rain of three inches or better at his farm east of Liberty. Water stood knee deep in his outbuildings and his water tank almost floated away. He has been begging for rain for four years he says and he is not complaining.

Casey White and J. B. Procter drove down from Mills at 5 o'clock Monday evening and took a lot of sale bills back with them before dark. Mr. Procter is obliged to sell a fine herd of horses for lack of water and grass due to the drought.

The S-A. home has been the scene of turmoil this week. Mrs. has had her annual attack of housecleaning delayed by School and Red Cross work till now. Its pretty bad but think how much worse it would be if it lasted the year round. We are inclined to condone her one fault.

F. H. Walther, once Mechanic at the Roy Garage, writes us from Douglass, Arizona sending a check for \$3. on subscription. After telling us how he reads everything in the thing each week he has the audacity to say "The truth is—I am almost tempted to have you stop sending the S-A. because it keeps me longing to be back there among some of what I think are the best friends I ever had anywhere."

He asks a lot of questions about people and business here and sends regards to all his friends.

A citizen's meeting Wednesday night decided to have a partiotie program to celebrate the 4th using the Chautauqua tent for the purpose. Arrangements will be made to postpone the celebration at Carrizo till a latter date as a matter of expediency.

Program, July 4

Band Concert. 9 30 A. M.
Begins promptly, no waiting
Song, "America"

Opening Address O. W. Hearn
Song, Wilco Quartett, Mills,
Address W. G. Johnson,
Song, Glee Club

Address, Rev. J. S. Russel,
Dinner-- You can eat your dinner in the big tent

Band Music 1 30 P. M.
Races Sports and pastimes

Chautauqua Program, at 3 P. M.

Last War Bulletin

Americans dash on German stronghold at Torgey killing wounding or capturing all, taking fifty machine guns. Italian situation about same, Austria is starving-- Army deserting, robbing people. President Wilson in favor peace Full intervention in Russia

G. R. Abernathy has placed 50 head of cattle in pasture on Pink Gunn and Virgil Anderson's grass land where they can get water in the canyons. The recent local rains in that vicinity have helped the pasture immensely. Wells that have heretofore seemed inexhaustible, have been failing of late and water is becoming a serious problem.

Mrs. Clay, of Tulsa Okla. formerly Mrs. Tyler, of Roy and a pioneer of this town for many years visited here Saturday and Sunday with the Griner Sisters and other friends. She was enroute to visit a sick sister at Socorro and left her son Gaston here until her return.

The Bible Students and Victor Classes of the Roy Union Sunday School had a party at the Griner Bungalow last Friday night. The good time which always attends these parties was enjoyed by a very large number of, young people present.

Prof. Trumbull

Prof. R. S. Trumbull and wife and two of their children from El Paso and Dr. R. S. Hare U.S. Crop Reporter, from Albuquerque came to Roy last Friday and remained till Sunday looking over the crop conditions and securing data for their records.

They of course regret the conditions created here by the long drought and wind the worst season ever known on this mesa but are optimistic for the summer crops which may yet be made with copious rains which are bound to come. Prof. Trumbull recommends sowing spring wheat still as an experimental crop if the rains warrant it.

Mrs. Trumbull and the children visited friends here and seem glad to get back to the high cool mesa.

Thrift Stamps

Plans for the Thrift Stamp drive Friday afternoon were perfected at a meeting called by C. L. Wensell and Wm. G. Johnson, at Judge Foster's office Wednesday night and committees appointed. Too much do'n to try to record it all.

If the man of wealth thinks that War Savings Stamps and their meaning are not for him he is mistaken. It is true he can buy only \$1,000 of them but he is more able than most folks to accept the philosophy of the stamps. That philosophy is Save! Save! Julius Rosenwald says: "That man financially able to indulge himself in luxuries during war time has the least excuse for doing so."

Dr. James Douglas, formerly president of the Phelps-Dodge interests and a staunch friend of this mesa and our people to whom we are indebted for many donations and substantial encouragement in public enterprises here died at his New York home June 25th at the age of 81 years.

Miss Pearl Matthews of Wagon Mound, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Edgar Floersheim in Roy. The Floersheims drove over last Sunday crossing the river on the new bridge and brought her home with them. They say it is the only way to go to Wagon Mound and the distance registers 36 miles.

Remember next Sunday is the 5th Sunday S. S. Convention at Mills. There will be no Union S. S. in Roy to permit all to attend. As usual the basket dinner will be a feature and an interesting all day program.

Sunday evening June 30th the Roy Union Sunday School and Y. P. S. C. E. of Roy will hold a joint program at the Christian Church at which the new Service Flag designed by Miss Vivian Griner by direction of the Sunday School will be appropriately recognized and dedicated. It is the handsomest Service Flag so far displayed in Roy and contains the names of twelve of the Roy boys who are with the Colors.

Mrs. J. C. Seat of Boonville Missouri, is the guest of the Griner Sisters in Roy. They were formerly neighbors at California Mo. and are renewing old friendships and experiences.

Fire-wood

As County Chairman of the Fuel Administration the S-A. has received a lot of information regarding the granting of permission to cut timber for private use from Government lands. Blanks accompany the instructions for the use of those who desire to cut timber or get fire wood from government lands. This does not permit getting timber from school sections under lease to private parties without their consent but does relieve the leasor of responsibility for the timber taken from such land.

See the S-A. for copies of the instructions and blanks.

Mrs. Wm. Baum is expected home next Sunday from Hot Springs Arkansas where she has been taking treatment for some weeks. Her health is reported much improved.

Red Cross

The net proceeds of the Red Cross Sale at Mills was \$2,008.68

The Roy Red Cross Chapter is making a large shipment of finished articles, knitted work and garments, made this month by the ladies of the Chapter and its auxiliaries.

An emergency call for six dozen sweaters and twelve dozen pairs of socks which must be finished by Sept. 1st, is received.

There will be no meetings for work at the R.C. Rooms as there are no supplies for sewing and all can take their knitting along to the Chautauqua.

A. R. C. Notice

Advertising by individuals or business firms of sales, entertainments or other enterprises to attract patronage by donating a part of the proceeds to the Red Cross, is strictly forbidden by the regulations. Unless the enterprise is run entirely by or in the interest of the Red Cross.

We are ordered not to print an adv. of this kind in future.

Pledge Subscribers to the Second Red Cross War Fund Please take notice that the first installment is due July 1st.

Please make payment promptly to— J. Floersheim, Chairman.

Mother and Daughter Congress at Albuquerque this week will call many ladies from all over the state to the Metropolis for a very busy week of social pleasure and profitable entertainment. Among those registered from this mesa we note Mrs. Ethel Harper and Mrs. C. C. Halferty of Mills Mrs. J. S. Horton Mrs. E. D. Choate and Miss Golda Troop of Solano.

There will be delegates from almost every town in the state and each mother will bring a daughter with her.

WELLESLEY GRADUATE

T. E. Mitchell and wife of Albert returned from Massachusetts, where they attended the graduation of their daughter Miss Edith from Wellesley College. Miss Mitchell came with them and will remain at the ranch.

The graduation was on June 14 and the parents made the trip almost across the continent and back to be present. They suffered much from extreme heat of the lower altitudes and the congested condition of travel due to reduced train service.

John Hanton has changed his address from Mills to Roy and will get his S-A from the home office in future.

G. Kitchell let a window at the Masonic Hall fall on his hand Tuesday morning and crushed the ends of his fingers till the bone was exposed. He is taking an enforced vacation from the building as a consequence and says he almost had to go for a ladder to get loose.

C. L. Wensell spent a large part of last week over in the Mora country with Rev. Eutsler in the Thrift Stamp drive.

He drove in rain and mud most of the time.

Mrs. Willcox writes friends that she and her party are fishing and camping near Creed Colo. and having the time of their lives.

Business Change

The Anderson Blacksmith and machine Shop and Garage has been leased by Joe Gilstrap and was invoiced and turned over to the new management Tuesday. They will fix it up for general garage work and Livery business and has an expert blacksmith to take charge of the mechanical work in the shop. This is a well equipped machine shop as can be found in this part of New Mexico and the new management steps into a well established business.

Mr. Gilstrap has been manager of the Roy Telephone Co. for several years and is a hustler as well as heady business man his brother Will Gilstrap will conduct the Phone exchange in future and help with the new enterprise.

Paul Anderson has been constantly at the anvil in the shop for the past 15 years and is entitled to the rest and change this gives him. He will manage his threshing outfit here this fall and may go to Kansas to fresh. Virgil Anderson will devote his time and energy to Tractor farming in future.

The lease of the shop carries with it an option to purchase. Here is wishing them all satisfaction and success.

J. J. Taylor plans to take a jitney trip to some lower altitude after he makes his final proof on his claim. His health is not good and a lower altitude and change of water are urged for him by his physician. The family will accompany him.

The I. O. O. F. will install officers at their next meeting July 3d all members are urged to come and assist and get started for a revival of interest and action in the lodge. Don't take it as a duty to attend but a privilege and a pleasure.

Dan Laumbach was in town Monday. He reports drought on his range but stock not suffering as he has a large range.

A large new concrete watering tank is being constructed on the street by R. C. Grunig and connected to the Floersheim standpipe with a trap valve so that it will automatically govern the water supply. The water is good now since the tank has been cleaned out and the well furnishes more water than Roy has ever had before.

Rain on all the north end of the mesa daily has been the rule for the past week. If it wont rain here it is nice of the weather man to let us see it rain anyway.

V. P. Holterman

V. P. Halterman an old homesteader south of Roy died at his home Wednesday evening. He has been an invalid for a long time and leaves a wife and large family of children some of them quite young. Burial at the Roy Cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Sheppard of Oklahoma came last week to visit her brother, Beck Coslett who is at the hospital recovering from a broken knee cap caused by a kick by a horse last week. His little son Harold came with her to see his father.